- (3) a person who procures prescription drugs for lawful research, teaching, or testing and not for resale; [or]
- (4) a home and community support services agency that possesses a dangerous drug as authorized by Section 142.0061, 142.0062, or 142.0063, Health and Safety Code; or
- (5) a dispensing organization, as defined by Section 487.001, Health and Safety Code, that cultivates, processes, and dispenses low-THC cannabis, as authorized by Chapter 487, Health and Safety Code, to a patient listed in the compassionate-use registry established under that chapter.
- SECTION 6. (a) Not later than December 1, 2015, the public safety director of the Department of Public Safety shall adopt rules as required to implement, administer, and enforce Chapter 487, Health and Safety Code, as added by this Act, including rules to establish the compassionate-use registry required by that chapter.
- (b) Not later than September 1, 2017, the Department of Public Safety shall license at least three dispensing organizations in accordance with Section 487.053, Health and Safety Code, as added by this Act, provided at least three applicants for a license to operate as a dispensing organization have met the requirements for approval provided by Subchapter C, Chapter 487, Health and Safety Code, as added by this Act.
- SECTION 7. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2015.

Passed the Senate on May 7, 2015: Yeas 26, Nays 5; passed the House on May 19, 2015: Yeas 108, Nays 38, one present not voting.

Approved June 1, 2015.

Effective June 1, 2015.

### ELECTION DATES FOR DIRECTORS OF THE BANDERA COUNTY RIVER AUTHORITY AND GROUNDWATER DISTRICT

### **CHAPTER 302**

S.B. No. 363

## AN ACT

relating to the election dates for directors of the Bandera County River Authority and Groundwater District.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Chapter 654, Acts of the 71st Legislature, Regular Session, 1989, is amended by adding Section 1A and amending Section 10 to read as follows:

- Sec. 1A. REFERENCE IN LAW MEANING BANDERA COUNTY RIVER AUTHOR-ITY AND GROUNDWATER DISTRICT. The district name is the Bandera County River Authority and Groundwater District. A reference in law to the Springhills Water Management District means the Bandera County River Authority and Groundwater District.
  - Sec. 10. ELECTION OF DIRECTORS. (a) Directors serve staggered four-year terms.
- (b) Every two years [On the first Saturday in May of the second year after the year in which the district is authorized to be created at a confirmation election,] an election shall be held in the district on the uniform election date in November for the election of the appropriate number of directors. Two directors shall be elected from each commissioner precinct and one director shall be elected at large. The director elected from each commissioner precinct who receives the fewer number of votes shall serve a two-year term, and the director elected from each commissioner precinct who receives the most

votes and the director elected at large shall serve a four-year term. Thereafter, on the same date in each subsequent second year, the appropriate number of directors shall be elected to the board.

SECTION 2. The term of a director elected to the board of the Bandera County River Authority and Groundwater District in May 2013 expires on December 1, 2016, and the term of a director elected to the board in May 2015 expires December 1, 2018.

SECTION 3. (a) The legislature finds that the Bandera County River Authority and Groundwater District was originally created by Chapter 629, Acts of the 62nd Legislature, Regular Session, 1971, as the Bandera County River Authority, and then modified or merged by Chapter 654, Acts of the 71st Legislature, Regular Session, 1989, as the Springhills Water Management District.

- (b) The legislature further finds that the Springhills Water Management District was renamed the Bandera County River Authority and Groundwater District in 2003.
- SECTION 4. (a) The legal notice of the intention to introduce this Act, setting forth the general substance of this Act, has been published as provided by law, and the notice and a copy of this Act have been furnished to all persons, agencies, officials, or entities to which they are required to be furnished under Section 59, Article XVI, Texas Constitution, and Chapter 313, Government Code.
- (b) The governor has submitted the notice and Act to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality.
- (c) The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality has filed its recommendations relating to this Act with the governor, the lieutenant governor, and the speaker of the house of representatives within the required time.
- (d) All requirements of the constitution and laws of this state and the rules and procedures of the legislature with respect to the notice, introduction, and passage of this Act are fulfilled and accomplished.

SECTION 5. This Act takes effect September 1, 2015.

Passed the Senate on April 9, 2015: Yeas 31, Nays 0; passed the House on May 19, 2015: Yeas 146, Nays 0, two present not voting.

Approved June 1, 2015.

Effective September 1, 2015.

# RESTRUCTURING OF CERTAIN FUND ACCOUNTS OF THE TEXAS COUNTY AND DISTRICT RETIREMENT SYSTEM

### **CHAPTER 303**

S.B. No. 463

#### AN ACT

relating to the restructuring of certain fund accounts of the Texas County and District Retirement System.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

SECTION 1. Section 842.056, Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 842.056. CLASS C. If any assets remain after the transfers are made under Sections 842.054 and 842.055, the retirement system shall make a transfer to the *closed subdivision* [current service] annuity reserve fund in an amount computed as necessary to fund the *basic and* supplemental annuities of the annuitants of the subdivision and a transfer to the individual account of each member of the class eligible to retire in an amount that equals the multiple matching credits and prior service credits of the member. If necessary, the retirement system shall proportionately reduce an individual's total credits or supplemental annuity, as applicable, based on the ratio that the indi-